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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of)
ROBERT SCHMELER et al.) Examiner: Unknown
for: COOLING PANEL FOR A FURNACE) Group Art Unit: 3743
FOR PRODUCING IRON OR STEEL)
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Filed: August 20, 2001) Our Docket No.: 6077-04WOUS

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STATUS LETTER

Dear Sir:

Applicant has not as yet received an Office Action or any other formal paper on the above-referenced application. Accordingly, please advise the status thereof at your earliest convenience.

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